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## FATAL MOTORCYCLE COLLISION EAST PRINCE ROAD AND NORTH FIRST AVENUE

The Tucson Police Department is investigating a fatal collision that occurred Sunday evening on Tucson's West Side.

On March 29, 2020, at approximately 9:00 p.m., officers from Operations Division West were dispatched to the intersection of East Prince Road and North First Avenue for a report of a serious injury collision involving a motorcycle and passenger car. Tucson Fire personnel were on scene and rendered aid to the motorcyclist before transporting him to Banner University Medical Center. Shortly after arrival, the motorcyclist sadly succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased. He was identified as **21-year-old Dylan Wilke**. Next of kin has been notified.

Detectives with the Tucson Police Traffic Investigations Unit responded to the scene. According to interviews conducted by officers and detectives, Wilke was riding his 2004 Yamaha Sport Motorcycle eastbound on Prince Road in the median lane. As he entered the intersection of Prince and First on a green light, the driver of a 2002 Honda CRV was westbound and made a left turn in front of him. Wilke was unable to stop in time and collided with the Honda. The driver of the Honda, **43-year-old Tori Gonzalez**, remained on scene and cooperated with the investigation. A DUI Officer was called to the scene and determined Gonzalez was impaired at the time of the collision.

At the conclusion of the DUI investigation, Gonzalez was arrested and booked into Pima County Jail on one count of Second Degree Murder. Additional charges are pending. Her booking photograph is attached below.

There were no indications of excessive speed from either vehicle and Wilke was wearing a motorcycle helmet. Anyone with additional information is asked to call 88-CRIME.

## **Traffic Fatalities Year to Date:**

 $\begin{array}{lll} For \ 2019-12 & For \ 2020-20 \\ Pedestrian-5 & Pedestrian-7 \\ Bicycle-0 & Bicycle-1 \\ Motorcycle-5 & Motorcycle-5 \\ Vehicle-2 & Vehicle-7 \end{array}$ 

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